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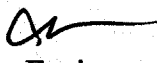
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To: L&S Locating Engineers
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From: C. W. Brown, PE, PLS 
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Subject: Coordinate Reference Systems and Baseline Guidelines

The Coordinate Reference Systems and Baseline Guidelines (copy attached) has been approved as standard policy by the Highway Design Branch. All plans developed through the HDB shall follow these procedures as outlined. Any future updated versions of these guidelines will be posted on the Location & Surveys web site under Project Support/Manuals.

By way of this memo I am requesting that all prior versions of these guidelines be destroyed. This version, dated 8/07/00, will be further referenced as version 1.0.

Thank you for your cooperation and assistance in this matter.

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